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AN HOUR LATER...FOOD AND SHELTER!
WELL, THE RITZ IT'S NOT...BUT IT'S HOME FOR TONIGHT!
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OKAY,..UP ON THAT RIDGE!- WE CAN FREE-STYLE IT FROM HERE! THE SNOW IS SOLID,.. NO NEED FOR A SAFETY LINE! YOU LEAD THE WAY, DAWSON!
NOW'S MY CHANCE...AND THIS GRENADE SHOULD DO THE TRICK!
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YAAAAAAA!
GOOD HEAVENS... WHAT HAPPENED? I HEARD AN EXPLOSION... AND THEN... POOR DAWSON!
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WE'RE GETTING INTO THE HIGH BLIZZARD AREA, BARKER! SHOULDN'T WE MAKE SOME SORT OF PLAN...AS TO HOW WE'LL TAKE THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN...IF WE COME FACE TO FACE WITH HIM?
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT, BRINKS! I ONCE STOPPED A CHARGING RHINO WITH A .45 AUTOMATIC! WE EACH HAVE ENOUGH FIRE-POWER, PLUS THREE GRENADES BETWEEN US!
THREE GRENADES? HOLD ON A MINUTE! WE ALL STARTED THIS CLIMB WITH TWO GRENADES EACH... AND DAWSON DIED AFTER I HEARD A SMALL EXPLOSION! I WANT SOME ANSWERS, BARKER!
WELL, WELL, WELL... I GUESS YOU GOT ME, PARTNER! TOO BAD THOUGH... 'CAUSE I COUNTED ON YOUR COMPANY FOR ANOTHER DAY OR SO! SO LONG, BRINKS!
NO... NO... UNNN!
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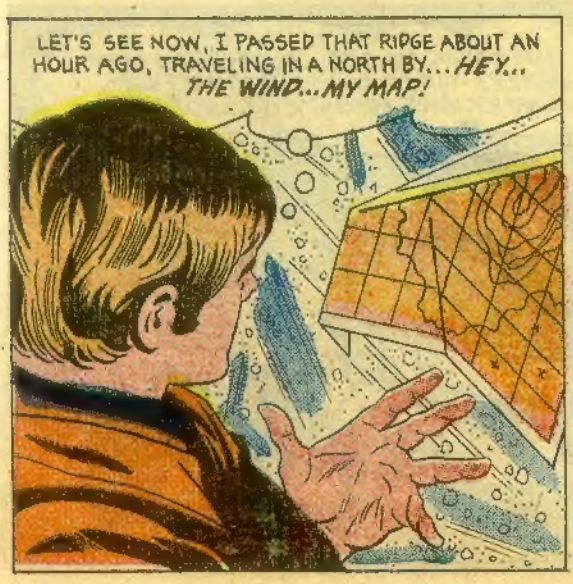
THAT DOES IT! NO AMATEURS OR EXCESS BAGGAGE LEFT! JUST ME AND THE SNOWMAN... AND $100,000!
THE OTHER SEARCH PARTIES ARE ONLY STARTING TO CLIMB ABOUT NOW... I'M A DAY AHEAD OF THEM! IF THE SNOWMAN EXISTS... I'LL FIND HIM!

MMM... BRINKS WAS RIGHT... A BLIZZARD'S KICKING UP! BETTER CHECK MY MAP FOR THE NEXT SUPPLY DROP, AND GET TO SOME SHELTER!


LET'S SEE NOW, I PASSED THAT RIDGE ABOUT AN HOUR AGO, TRAVELING IN A NORTH BY... HEY... THE WIND... MY MAP!

NO... WAIT... COME BACK... COME BACK! I'M LOST WITHOUT THE MAP! COME BACK... COME BAAAAAAACCCK!

STRANDED! ALONE, WITHOUT FOOD OR SHELTER, AND A MOUNTING BLIZZARD SURROUNDING HIM, FRED BARKER WANDERS AIMLESSLY IN A FROZEN DESERT OF SNOW, WIND, AND COLD!
CAN'T SEE AHEAD OF ME... BUT I'VE GOT TO KEEP MOVING... MOVING!
MINUTES BECOME HOURS AS THE ICY ONSLAUGHT CONTINUES! THE BLIZZARD IS A CARRION THING, EVER-WAITING FOR ITS VICTIM TO FALL!
COLD... SO COLD... CAN'T GO ON MUCH FURTHER!
THEN, THE STORM PEAKS, AND FRED BARKER FINALLY SUCCUMBS TO THE AWESOME FATE OF BEING BURIED ALIVE!
HOURS LATER THE BLIZZARD SUBSIDES AND GIVES WAY TO THE CALM OF THE FOLLOWING DAY!
I'M ALIVE... FROZEN BUT ALIVE! CAN'T MOVE MUCH... OR SPEAK... BUT I'M ALIVE!
THAT SOUND... VOICES... ANOTHER MUSEUM PARTY! THEY'VE CAUGHT UP TO ME! FRED BARKER ISN'T FINISHED YET... NOT YET!

GOT TO GET TO MY FEET...AND CALL OUT TO THEM! CAN'T LET THEM PASS ME BY! MUST LET THEM KNOW THAT FRED BARKER IS STILL ALIVE!
NNNN, NO GOOD! GOT TO TRY HARDER PUT EVERYTHING INTO ONE BIG PUSH!
YES, FRED BARKER THIS IS YOUR CHANCE FOR LIFE! MAKE THAT SUPREME EFFORT! TEAR YOURSELF FROM THE ICY BONDS THAT STIFFEN YOUR FLESH! REACH OUT TO THE FORMS YOU HEAR AND CALL TO THEM AS BEST YOU CAN!
UUUUHHHH!
UUUURRRAHHH!
OH, MY GOSH! LOOK! FIRE!
SO A LIFE OF EVIL AND GREED COMES TO AN END AS THE LIFELESS FORM OF FRED BARKER TUMBLES INTO THE VERY DEPTHS OF THE HIMALAYAS!
HE... IT... FELL INTO THE CHASM!
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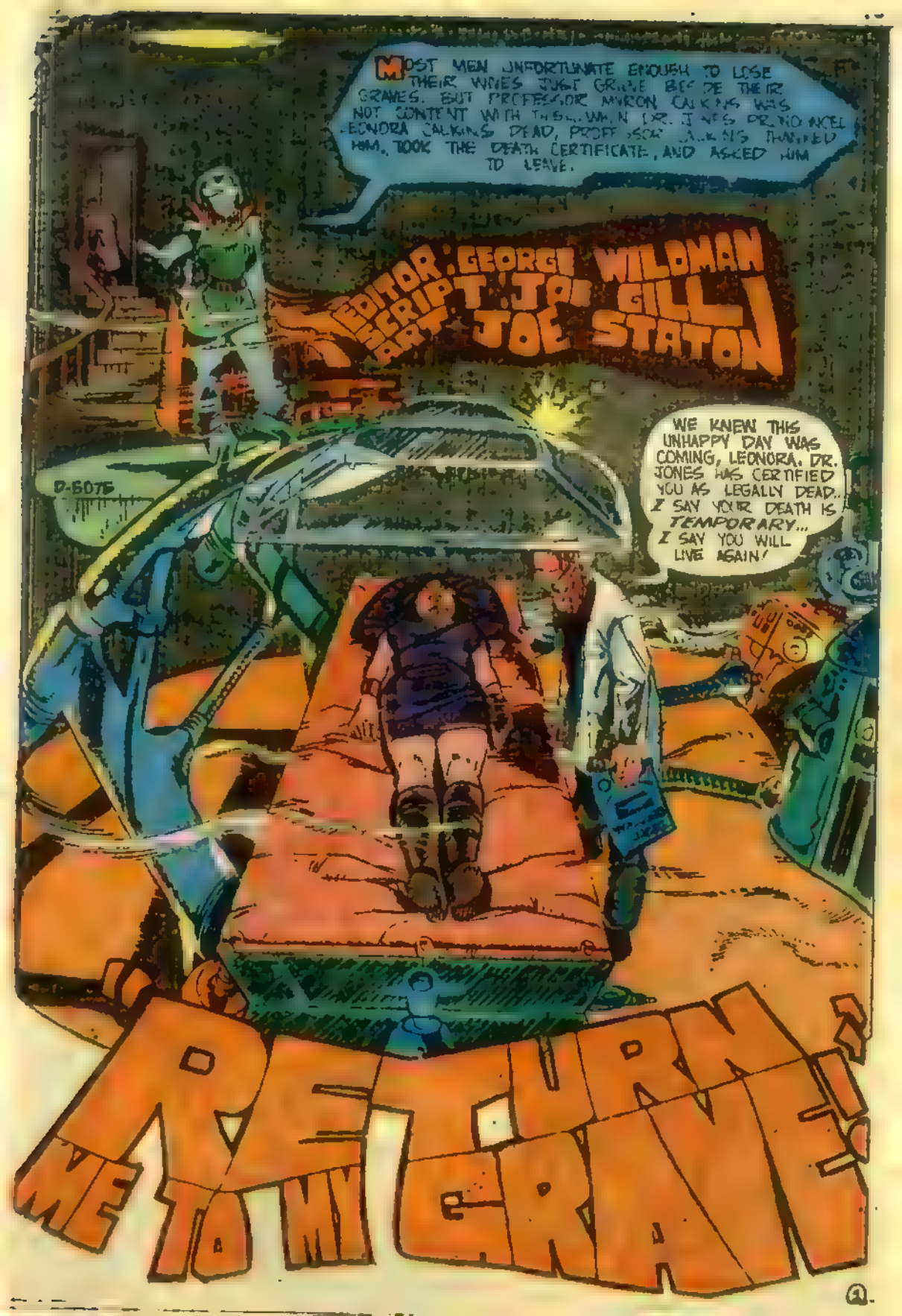
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WE KNEW THIS UNHAPPY DAY WAS COMING, LEONORA. DR. JONES HAS CERTIFIED YOU AS LEGALLY DEAD.. I SAY YOUR DEATH IS TEMPORARY... I SAY YOU WILL LIVE AGAIN!
RETURN ME TO MY GRAVE!
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YOUR HEART FAILED, MY DEAR... MODERN MEDICINE COULD NOT SAVE YOU FROM DEATH!
MY PLANS ARE COMPLETE I SHALL PRESERVE YOU JUST AS YOU WERE IN LIFE WHILE I MAKE THE NECESSARY REPAIRS
WITH A SIBILANT HISS, PROF. REFRIGERATING A VACUUM
THERE, LEON, MY YOU WILL BE PRESERVED PERFECTLY UNTIL I AM READY TO REPLACE YOUR FAULTY ORGANS AND RESTORE YOU TO LIFE!
PROF CALKINS DIDN'T PLAN A FUNERAL HE INTENDED TO KEEP HER CORPSE IN HIS LABORATORY WHILE HE MADE HIS PREPARATIONS
I'VE GOT A HEART TO TRANSPLANT, NOW ALL I NEED IS A...
BEAT THAT TELEPHONE!
FUNERAL? THERE'LL BE NO FUNERAL, I. OH
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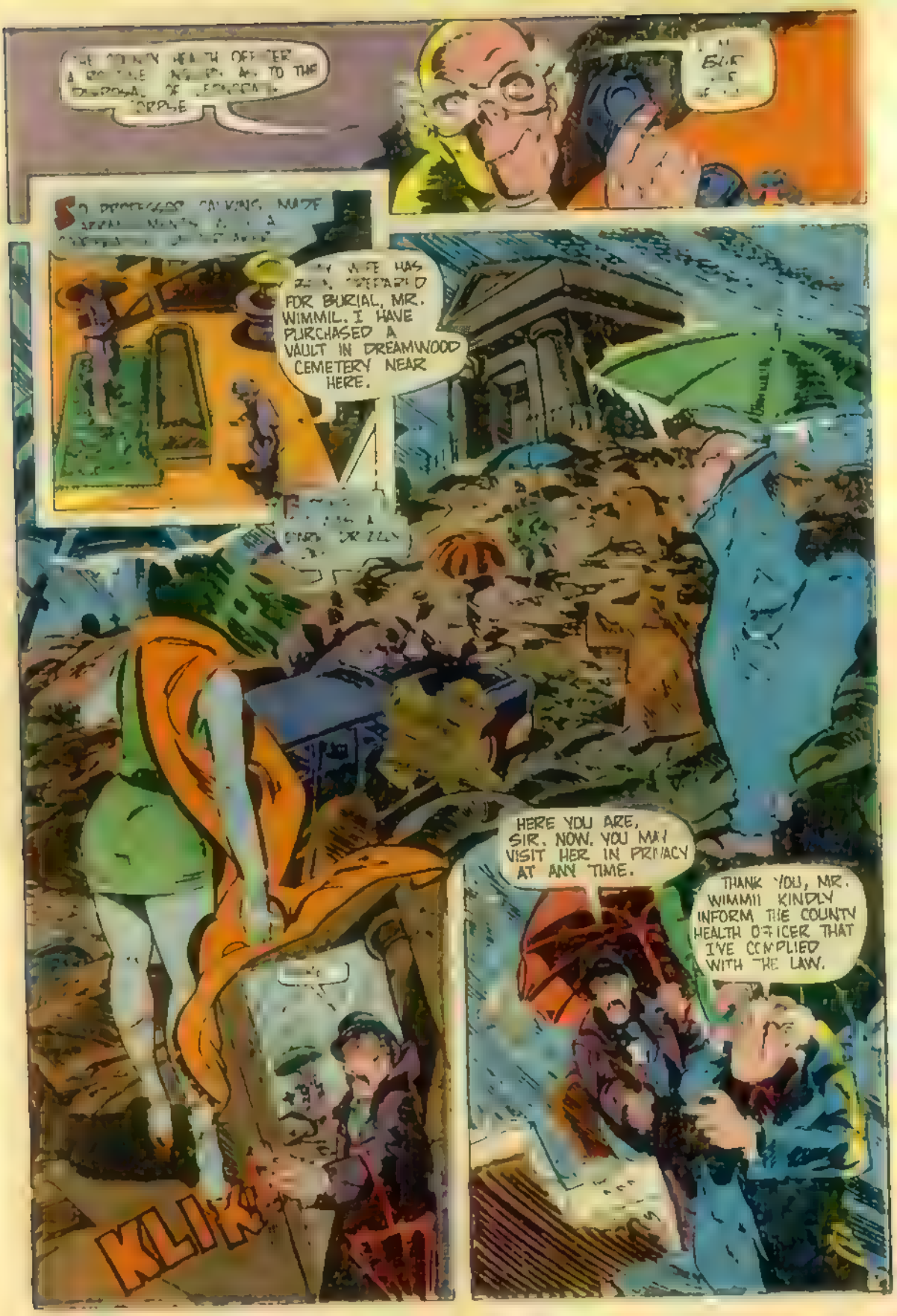
MY WIFE HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR BURIAL, MR. WIMMIL. I HAVE PURCHASED A VAULT IN DREAMWOOD CEMETERY NEAR HERE.
KLIK
HERE YOU ARE, SIR. NOW, YOU MAY VISIT HER IN PRIVACY AT ANY TIME.
THANK YOU, MR. WIMMIL KINDLY INFORM THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER THAT I'VE COMPLIED WITH THE LAW.

THREE NIGHTS LATER...
THERE IS NO WATCHMAN HERE AT NIGHT IT IS ONE REASON WHY I CHOSE THIS CEMETERY.
HER BODY IS PERFECTLY PRESERVED. SHE WILL BE SAFE UNTIL I'VE COMPLETED PREPARATIONS... THAT WILL BE VERY SOON.
THE MACHINE WITH WHICH I WILL RESTART HER HEART IS COMPLETE. NOW I MUST REMOVE HER FROZEN CORPSE.
CALKINS HIRED THREE MEN TO ASSIST HIM.
GENTLY, YOU FOOLS!
WHY? WHOEVER'S INSIDE CAN'T FEEL NOTHIN'! HAHAHAHA...
AT CALKINS' HOUSE, THEY ONCE AGAIN HELPED CARRY THE HEAVY COFFIN INTO HIS LABORATORY.
YER OUGHTER PAY US DOUBLE FOR A NASTY JOB LIKE THIS, MISTER. IF WE TOLD ANYBODY YOU....
YOU'VE BEEN PAID THE AGREED AMOUNT, FELLOW! NOW LET ME ADD A BONUS... LOOK AT ME!
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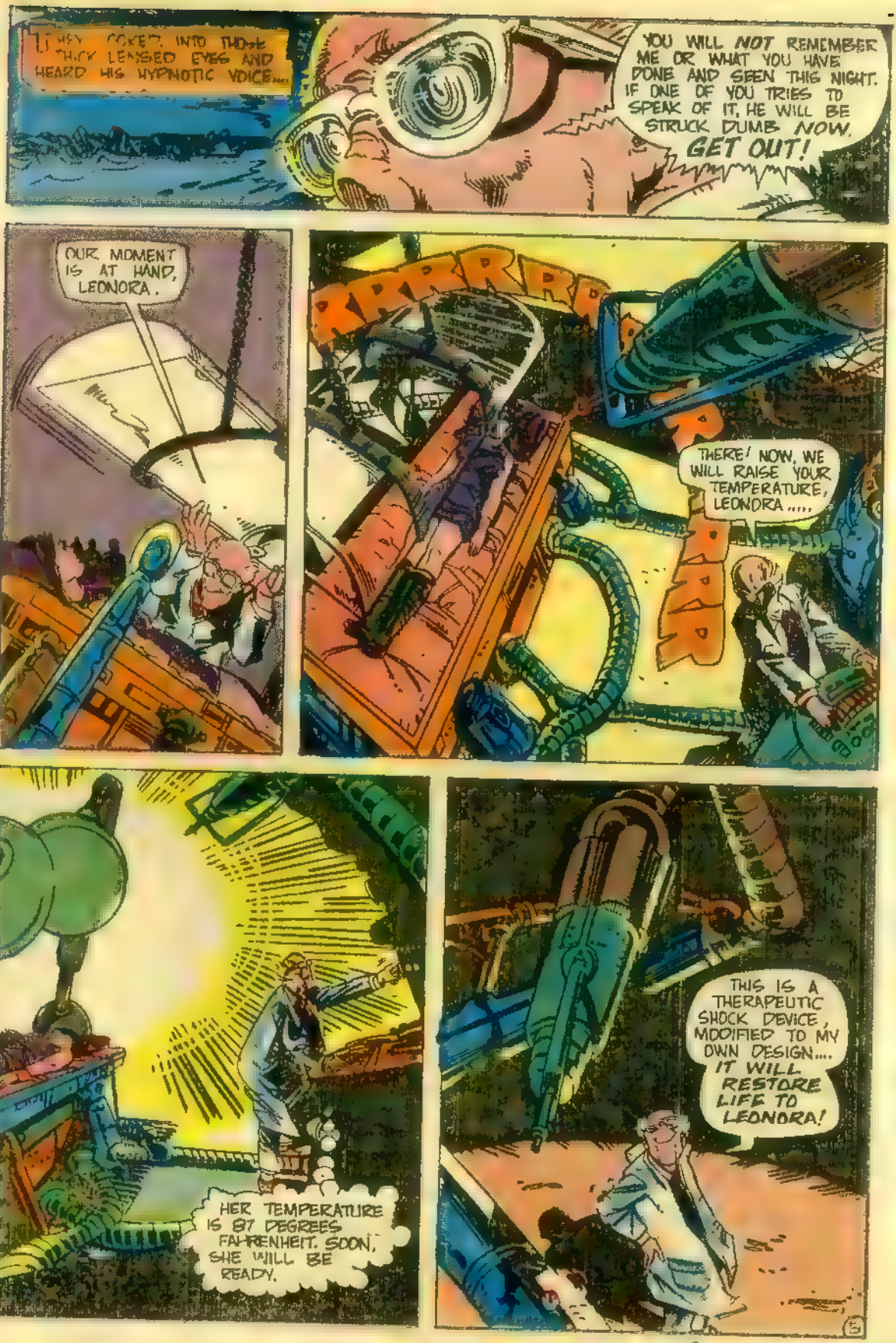
THEY LOOKED INTO THOSE THICK LENSED EYES AND HEARD HIS HYPNOTIC VOICE...
YOU WILL NOT REMEMBER ME OR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE AND SEEN THIS NIGHT. IF ONE OF YOU TRIES TO SPEAK OF IT, HE WILL BE STRUCK DUMB NOW. GET OUT!
OUR MOMENT IS AT HAND, LEONORA.
RRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRR
THERE! NOW, WE WILL RAISE YOUR TEMPERATURE, LEONORA.....
HER TEMPERATURE IS 87 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT. SOON, SHE WILL BE READY.
THIS IS A THERAPEUTIC SHOCK DEVICE, MODIFIED TO MY OWN DESIGN.... IT WILL RESTORE LIFE TO LEONORA!
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NOW, IT WAS TIME... PROFESSOR CALKINS ATTACHED THE ELECTRODES FIRST...
NOW....WE WILL BE REUNITED!
NNNN

YES, LEONORA... YOU ARE ALIVE! SIT UP... YOU CAN DO IT!
YOU SEE, LEONORA? OUR PLAN IS SUCCEEDING!
YOU ARE ALIVE.
LEONORA! SPEAK TO ME.. YOU CAN SPEAK... SAY SOMETHING.
WHERE ARE YOU GOING, LEONORA? THERE IS MUCH TO BE DONE... YOUR HEART IS....
LEONORA, LISTEN TO ME!
CLASH
AAAS

IT...SOMETHING HAS GONE WRONG!
LEONORA! COME BACK, LEONORA!
SHE WALKED THROUGH THE DARKNESS, UNHESITATING, FINDING HER WAY TO A PLACE SHE HAD NEVER VISITED DURING HER LIFETIME...
I'VE FOUND A LIGHT... I'VE GOT TO CATCH HER.. I CAN'T LET HER DO IT!
BUT HE WAS TOO LATE...
I KNEW THIS WAS WHAT SHE'D DO...
I UNDERSTAND, LEONORA... WHAT WE PLANNED WAS WRONG.. YOU WISH TO REMAIN DEAD... THERE IS NO RETURNING FROM THE GRAVE.
FAREWELL, LEONORA...

In my investigations into the existence of ghosts and their activities I have interviewed many people I wish to tell you something about ghosts and their appearances to people when these spirits predict a forthcoming disaster or death. If the event the ghost predicts has already taken place then nothing can be done about the matter. But if the ghost predicts something that will take place can it be avoided?

This interview took place with Mrs. Helen Rederman. Her husband Philip Rederman is a travelling salesman.

My husband is on the road one week every month. He has to carry with him large sums of money. Of course I am worried about this. He phones me every evening when he is away. He called me on a Thursday night. He was staying at a hotel in St. Louis. I retired at 10:00. But I was unable to sleep. I felt so restless. Something was bothering me. Then I noticed a small white spot on the wall. Almost hypnotized I watched it grow larger and larger. It had a human shape. And then it came right off the wall and walked around my room three times. Believe me, I was scared. I could feel those beads of sweat all over my forehead and face. And then it spoke to me with sort of a tired and yet a gentle voice.

"Don't let them do to your husband what they did to me. They killed me and dumped my body into the river at pier 32. I am one of the unburied dead. So I shall wander until my body is taken from the river and given a proper burial in a cemetery. I will help you save the life of your husband. But in return you must see that my body is recovered from the river and given its proper burial. I am the ghost of John Murdock."

I had never heard that name before in my entire life. I only wanted to help save my husband at any cost. So I gave a promise to the ghost to see that his body would be recovered from the water and then buried.

Then your husband now on the phone continued the ghost. "Tell him to get up and dress himself. Make a dummy and place it in his bed. At 3:30 the door to his room will be opened. Two men will then enter. One will stab him right through the heart the way they did it to me. They know he has the money with him in the room. He also carries a gun. This they do not know. So let him be prepared."

Then the ghost vanished. I jumped right out of my bed. Put the lights on in the room. It was now 3:10 in the morning. I had the phone number of the hotel. Also the room number where my husband was located. I called and fortunately I got my husband at once.

"Philip," I said. "Ask no questions. There will shortly be an attempt to kill and rob you. Get up and get dressed. Hide someplace in the room. Don't ask any questions. Your life depends upon doing what I have told you."

Had I told him I had seen a ghost I know he would have shrugged it off. I am a fairly intelligent woman. So you can see that I didn't mention anything at all about a ghost. I didn't go back to bed at all. I just waited at the phone. It seemed like a million years before it rang. It was now 4:45 in the morning. A Detective Jackson was on the other end of the wire.

"Calling to tell you that your husband is o.k. We have the two men in custody who tried to kill and rob your husband. There is a wanted notice on one of them and a reward of $5000 for his capture. So at your leisure we would like to see you at police headquarters. We promise not to ask you any questions."

Two days later I was at police headquarters with my husband. I told the detective all about the ghost. The name of John Murdock did seem familiar to him.

"Stay here for two days," he asked. "Tomorrow morning we will drag the river off pier 32. I'm not saying that I believe or disbelieve your story at all. Let's see what will happen."

They found the body of John Murdock. Let me put it as simple as that. His family gave him the proper burial. We remained longer in St. Louis so that we could attend the funeral. I did receive the reward money. Detective Jackson said this to me.

"There are certain events in life that just can't be explained by ordinary scientific data. We do get premonitions of things about to happen. In your case, a ghost appeared. I can't argue at all with what you said you saw. That is all. But the department does owe you a vote of thanks."

So there is her story. Perhaps another one some time in the future.

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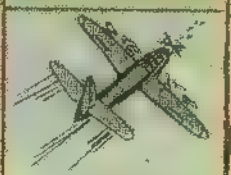

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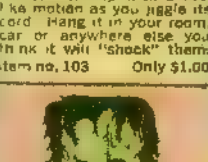

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IN SUCH A WAR WHERE SOME REMAINED LOYAL TO ENGLAND...THERE WERE ACTS OF TREACHERY .. MEN WERE DENOUNCED AS SPIES...SOME JUSTLY...WHILE OTHERS WERE INNOCENT!

HE BETRAYED OUR ARMY TO THE BRITISH GENERAL! *HANG HIM!* WHAT ARE YE WAITING FOR?

LISTEN TO ME! LEEDS IS THE TRAITOR, NOT I! EVEN NOW, HE'S GOT TORY GOLD IN HIS PURSE! SEARCH ME IF YOU WANT PROOF!

EDITOR... GEORGE WILDMAN
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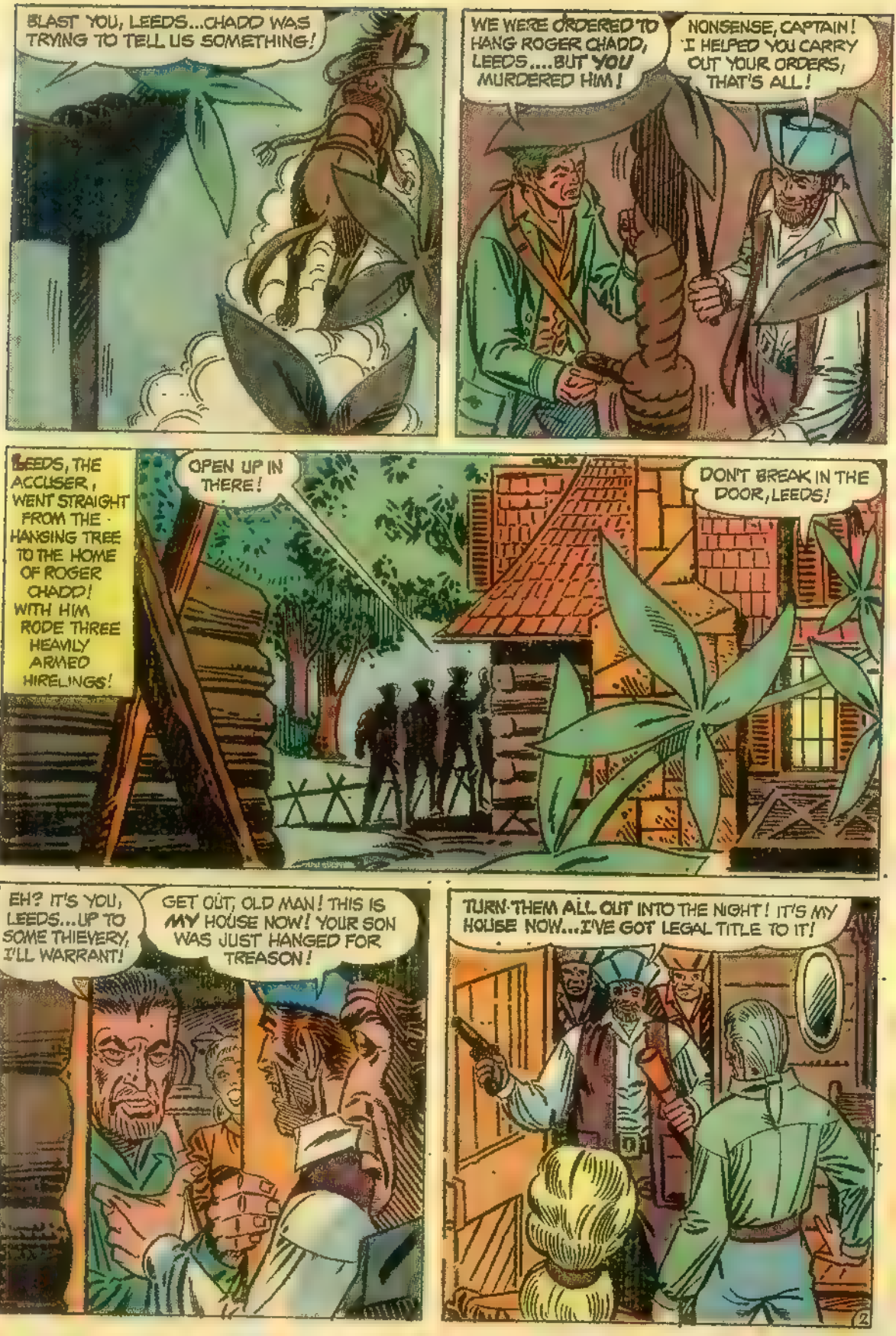
HOLD UP! MAYHAP ROGER CHADD *IS* INNOCENT! *WAIT, MAN, DON'T STRIKE THAT HORSE!*


BLAST YOU, LEEDS...CHADD WAS TRYING TO TELL US SOMETHING!
WE WERE ORDERED TO HANG ROGER CHADD, LEEDS....BUT YOU MURDERED HIM!
NONSENSE, CAPTAIN! I HELPED YOU CARRY OUT YOUR ORDERS, THAT'S ALL!
LEEDS, THE ACCUSER, WENT STRAIGHT FROM THE HANGING TREE TO THE HOME OF ROGER CHADD! WITH HIM RODE THREE HEAVILY ARMED HIRELINGS!
OPEN UP IN THERE!
DON'T BREAK IN THE DOOR, LEEDS!
EH? IT'S YOU, LEEDS...UP TO SOME THIEVERY, I'LL WARRANT!
GET OUT, OLD MAN! THIS IS MY HOUSE NOW! YOUR SON WAS JUST HANGED FOR TREASON!
TURN THEM ALL OUT INTO THE NIGHT! IT'S MY HOUSE NOW...I'VE GOT LEGAL TITLE TO IT!
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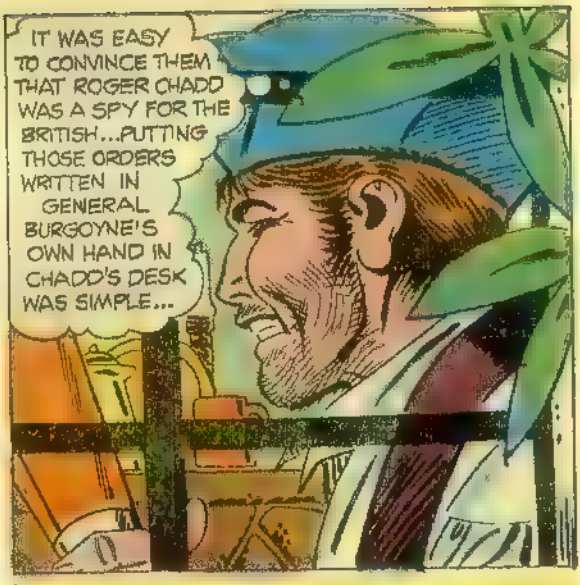
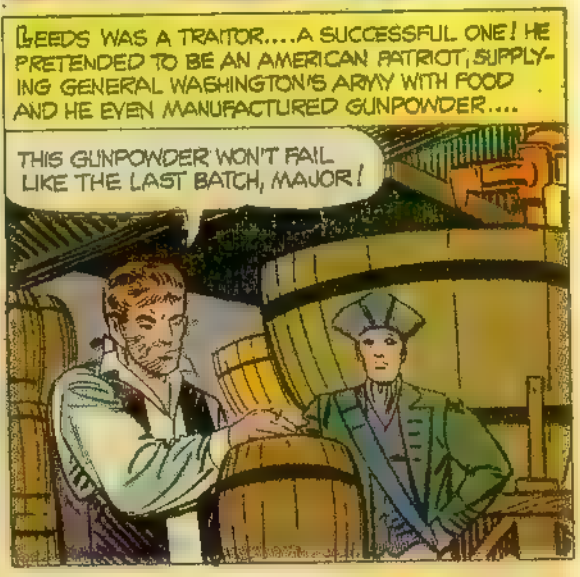
ALL THAT ROGER CHADD OWNED IS MINE!

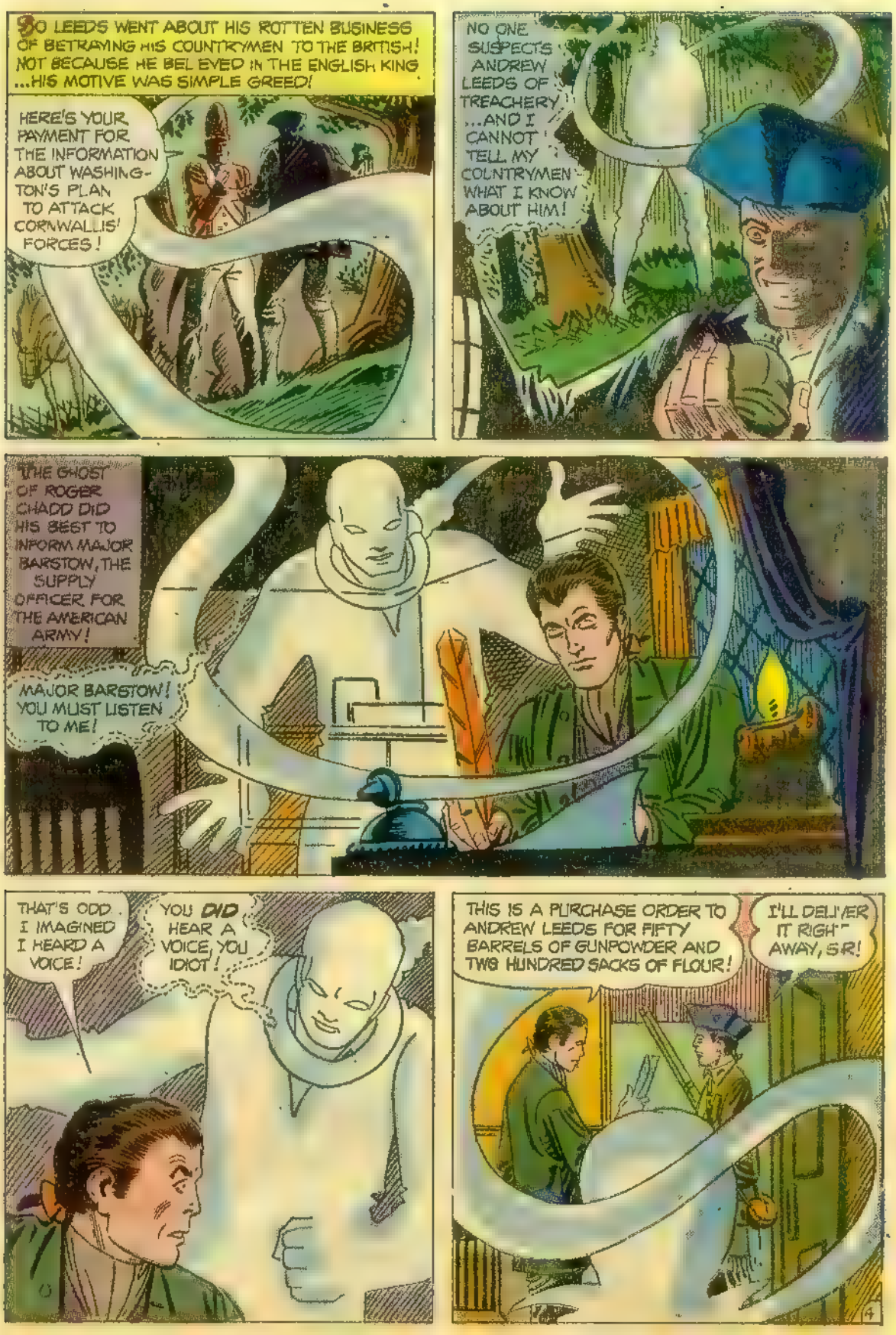

IT WAS EASY TO CONVINCE THEM THAT ROGER CHADD WAS A SPY FOR THE BRITISH...PUTTING THOSE ORDERS WRITTEN IN GENERAL BURGOYNE'S OWN HAND IN CHADD'S DESK WAS SIMPLE...

...ONCE MY BRITISH CONTACT SUPPLIED ME WITH THE ORDERS ADDRESSED SPECIFICALLY TO CHADD!


LEEDS WAS A TRAITOR....A SUCCESSFUL ONE! HE PRETENDED TO BE AN AMERICAN PATRIOT, SUPPLYING GENERAL WASHINGTON'S ARMY WITH FOOD AND HE EVEN MANUFACTURED GUNPOWDER....
THIS GUNPOWDER WON'T FAIL LIKE THE LAST BATCH, MAJOR!

I HOPE NOT, LEEDS! AT THE BATTLE OF BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, OUR CANNON WERE USELESS BECAUSE KEGS OF GUNPOWDER MANUFACTURED RIGHT HERE FAILED TO IGNITE!
I CAN EXPLAIN THAT, MAJOR!

ROGER CHADD SUBSTITUTED ORDINARY DIRT FOR ONE OF THE INGREDIENTS IN THAT BATCH OF POWDER!


SO LEEDS WENT ABOUT HIS ROTTEN BUSINESS OF BETRAYING HIS COUNTRYMEN TO THE BRITISH! NOT BECAUSE HE BELIEVED IN THE ENGLISH KING ...HIS MOTIVE WAS SIMPLE GREED!
HERE'S YOUR PAYMENT FOR THE INFORMATION ABOUT WASHINGTON'S PLAN TO ATTACK CORNWALLIS' FORCES!
NO ONE SUSPECTS ANDREW LEEDS OF TREACHERY ...AND I CANNOT TELL MY COUNTRYMEN WHAT I KNOW ABOUT HIM!
THE GHOST OF ROGER CHADD DID HIS BEST TO INFORM MAJOR BARSTOW, THE SUPPLY OFFICER FOR THE AMERICAN ARMY!
MAJOR BARSTOW! YOU MUST LISTEN TO ME!
THAT'S ODD. I IMAGINED I HEARD A VOICE!
YOU DID HEAR A VOICE, YOU IDIOT!
THIS IS A PURCHASE ORDER TO ANDREW LEEDS FOR FIFTY BARRELS OF GUNPOWDER AND TWO HUNDRED SACKS OF FLOUR!
I'LL DELIVER IT RIGHT AWAY, SIR!

AN ORDER FROM THE SUPPLY OFFICER FOR GUNPOWDER AND FLOUR! LEEDS WILL SUPPLY INFERIOR FOOD AND POWDER TO HURT THE AMERICAN CAUSE!
I HAVE LEARNED THAT CHADD ALSO SELLS POWDER AND FOOD TO THE BRITISH! THAT IS ALWAYS FIRST QUALITY... ...HMMMM!
ROGER CHADD WORKED QUICKLY, THEN HE RACED THROUGH THE NIGHT TO THAT HOME HE HAD BUILT AND LOVED....NOW OCCUPIED BY THE MAN WHO HAD BETRAYED HIM!
CONFOUND IT....THEY DON'T CARE AT WHAT HOUR OF THE NIGHT THEY AWAKEN A MAN!
IT'S FROM CORNWALLIS! HE WANTS FIFTY BARRELS OF POWDER AND TWO HUNDRED SACKS OF FLOUR!
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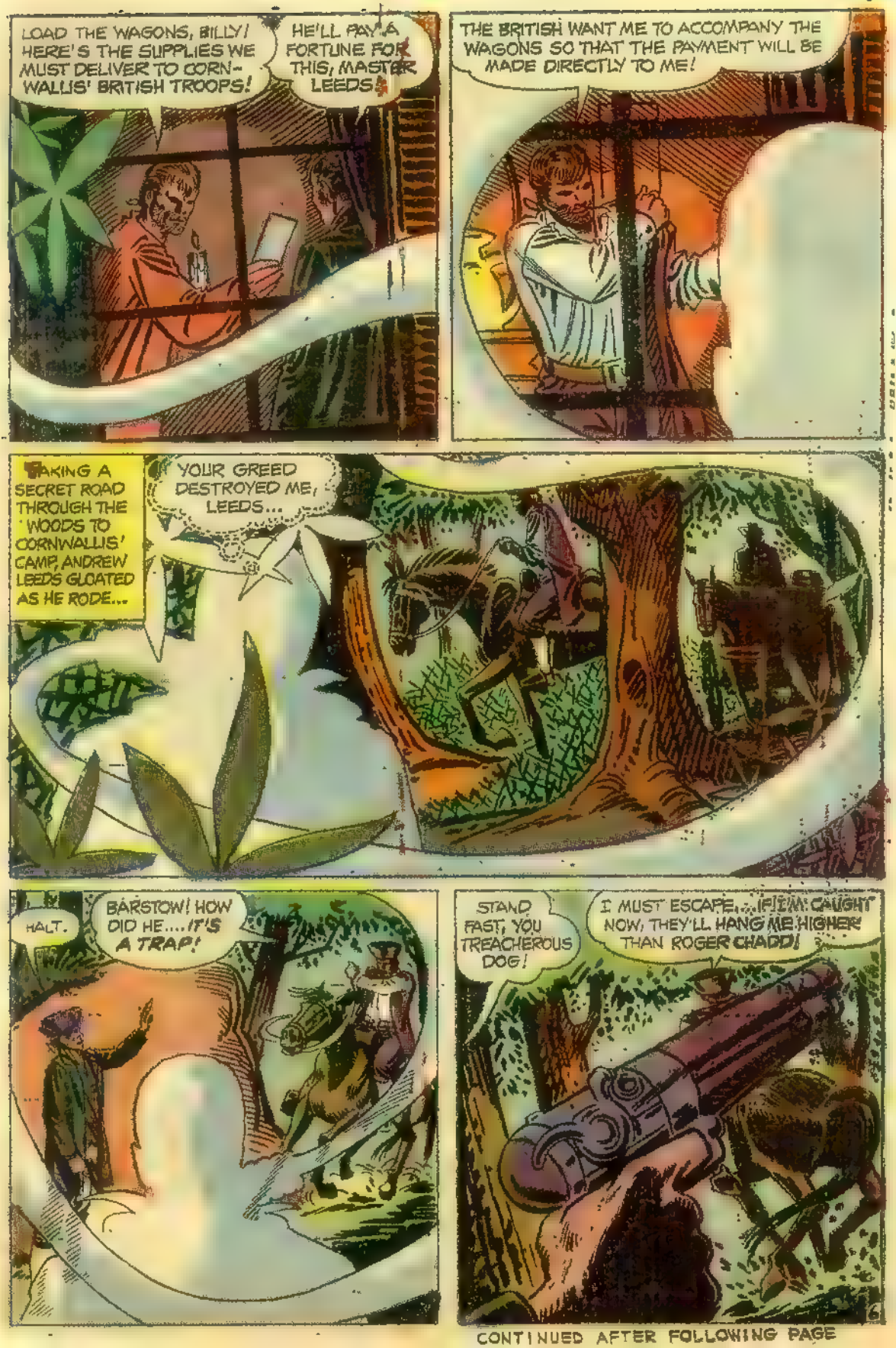
LOAD THE WAGONS, BILLY! HERE'S THE SUPPLIES WE MUST DELIVER TO CORNWALLIS' BRITISH TROOPS!
HE'LL PAY A FORTUNE FOR THIS, MASTER LEEDS!
THE BRITISH WANT ME TO ACCOMPANY THE WAGONS SO THAT THE PAYMENT WILL BE MADE DIRECTLY TO ME!
TAKING A SECRET ROAD THROUGH THE WOODS TO CORNWALLIS' CAMP, ANDREW LEEDS GLOATED AS HE RODE...
YOUR GREED DESTROYED ME, LEEDS...
HALT.
BARSTOW! HOW DID HE.... IT'S A TRAP!
STAND FAST, YOU TREACHEROUS DOG!
I MUST ESCAPE... IF I'M CAUGHT NOW, THEY'LL HANG ME HIGHER THAN ROGER CHADD!
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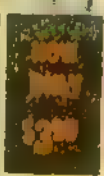

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I KNOW THIS ROAD...
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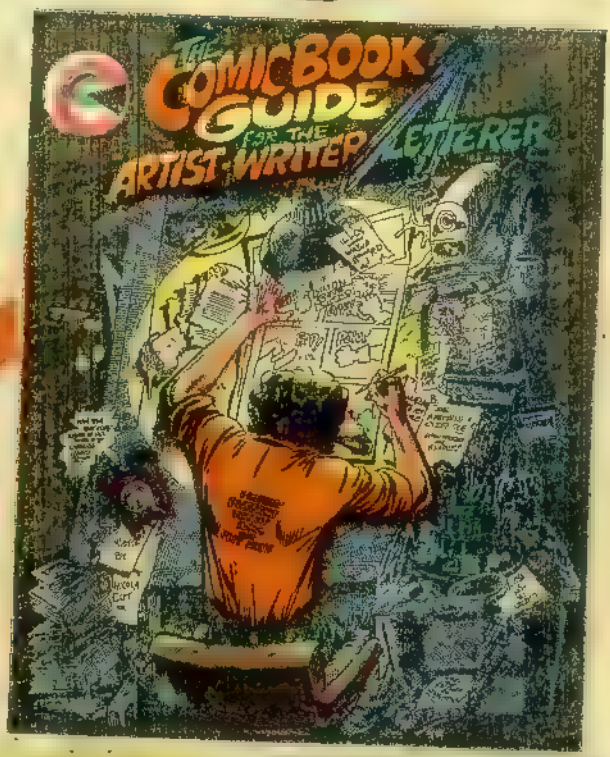

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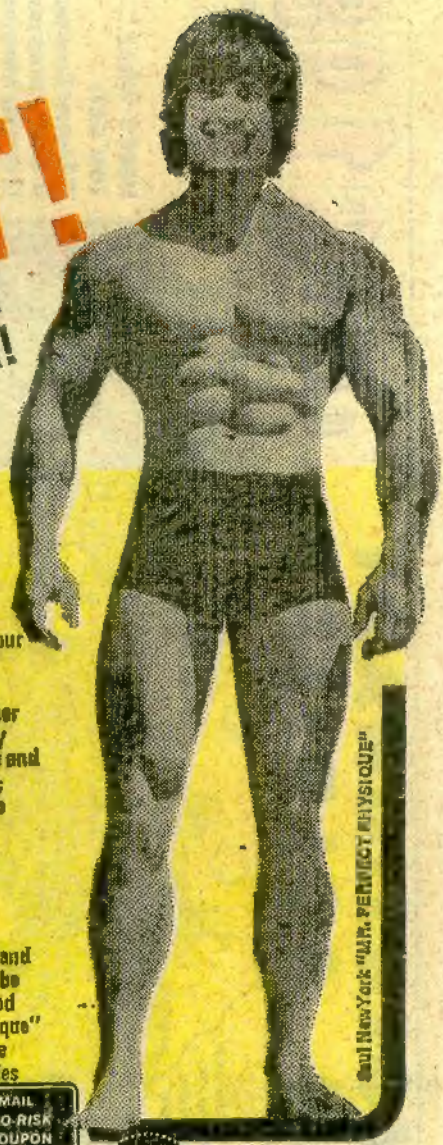

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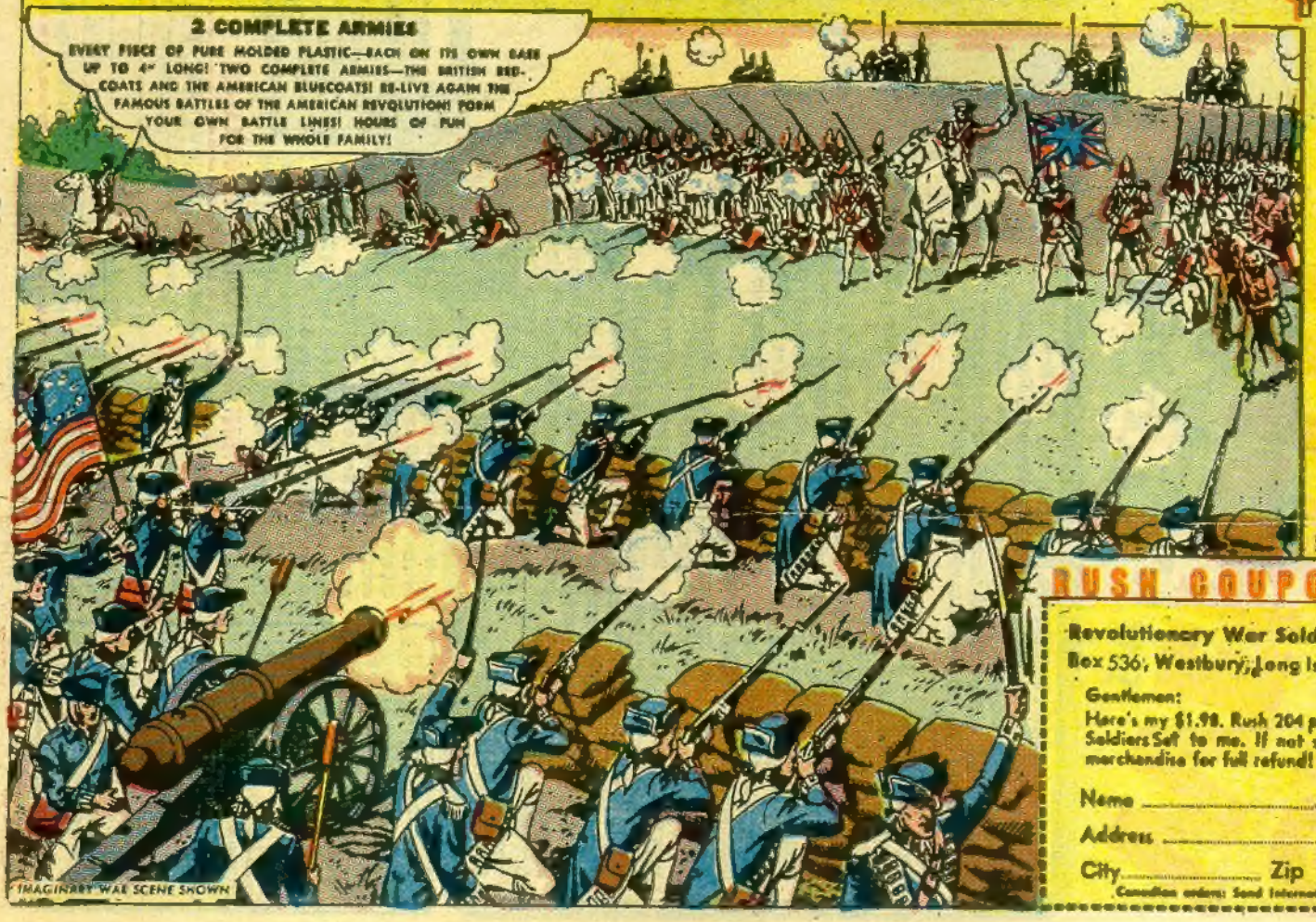

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